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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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DARPHIL GEORGE, REAVA SEYMOUR, DERRENCE GEORGE, ISAAC GEORGE, JAJERIN JONES, and BREANNA BURKE

STIPULATION OF SETTLEMENT AND ORDER OF DISMISSAL

10 CV 2407 (JBW)(RML)

Plaintiffs.

- against --

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, DENNIS MOONEY, CORNELIUS BUCKLEY, STEPHEN BONUSO, NELVA CENTENO, RACHEL CALZARETTA, GEORGE BOAN, ROBERT HANSON, MICHAEL LOPRESTI, VINCENT ORSINI, STEPHANI SANCHEZ, CARL WATSON, CESAR BRENES and DWAYNE BREWSTER,

Defendants.

WHEREAS, plaintiffs Darphil George, Reava Seymour, Derrence George, Isaac George, Jajerin Jones, and Breanna Burke commenced this action by filing a complaint on or about May 27, 2010, alleging that the defendants violated plaintiffs' federal civil and state common law rights; and

WHEREAS, Defendants have denied any and all liability arising out of plaintiffs' allegations; and

WHEREAS, the parties now desire to resolve the issues asserted in this litigation, without further proceedings and without admitting any fault or liability;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between the undersigned, as follows:



- 1. The above-referenced action is hereby dismissed against Defendants, with prejudice, and without costs, expenses, or attorneys' fees in excess of the amounts specified in paragraph "2" below.
- The City of New York hereby agrees to pay plaintiff DARPHIL 2. GEORGE the sum of FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND (\$45,000.00) Dollars and agrees to pay plaintiff DERRENCE GEORGE the sum of FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND (\$45,000) Dollars and agrees to pay plaintiff ISAAC GEORGE the sum of FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND (\$45,000) Dollars and agrees to pay plaintiff JAJERIN JONES the sum of FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND (\$45,000) Dollars and agrees to pay plaintiff BREANNA BURKE the sum of FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND (\$45,000) Dollars and agrees to pay plaintiff REAVA SEYMOUR the sum of FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000) Dollars, for a total aggregate sum of \$230,000 in full satisfaction of all claims, including claims for costs, expenses and attorneys' fees. In consideration for the payment of these sums, plaintiffs agree to dismissal of all claims against the defendants and to release the individual defendant Dennis Mooney, Cornelius Buckley, Stephen Bonuso, Nelva Centeno, Rachel Calzaretta, George Boan, Robert Hanson, Michael Lopresti, Vincent Orsini, Stephani Sanchez, Carl Watson, Cesar Brenes and Dwavne Brewster and the City of New York, and any present or former employees and agents of the City of New York or any agency thereof, from any and all liability, claims, or rights of action from the beginning of the world to the day of the date of the General Releases, including claims for costs, expenses, and attorneys' fees.
- 3. Plaintiffs shall execute and deliver to Defendants' attorney all documents necessary to effect this settlement, including, without limitation, General Releases based on the terms of paragraph 2 above and Affidavits of Status of Liens. If Medicare has provided payment and/or benefits for any injury or condition that is the subject of this lawsuit, prior to tendering

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Dated: New York, New York October , 2011

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